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Applicant/Patent Owner: Terry M. Schaffner Attorney Docket No. 977.144US1  
 Application No./Patent No.: 10/050,462 Filed/Issue Date: January 15, 2002

Titled: **ITERATIVE METHOD, AND APPARATUS FOR ACQUIRING TIME AND FREQUENCY SYNCHRONIZATION IN A DSSS RECEIVER**

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